#### MERRY WAYS OF SOCIETY.

A CROWD AT THE ANNUAL RECEPTION OF THE AVALON ASSOCIATION.

Dresses Which Attracted Admiration on the Baliroom Floor-Alumnt of Grammar School No. 26 Have a Reunton-Artel Circle's Leap-Year Party-Minstrelay and Dancing by the Crib Cinb.

The rain had quite an appreciable effect on the city ballrooms last night, but there was a good attendance at most of them, notably at the Teutonia Assembly Rooms, where the third annual reception of the Avalon Club took place. The officers of the club are E. C. Heizman, President; R. L. Hayman, Vice-President; E. F. Wilson, Secretary; J. J. Donnelly, Treasurer.

The arrangements were in the experienced hands of E. F. Boyle, Daniel P. Downing and

M. S. Sasserath.

Some extremely elegant dresses were noticed, among which were the following: Miss Mattle Middlebrooks, baby blue satin velled and back; diamond ornaments.

Miss Elia Saxton, black lace, with a double V Mrs. Charles Helzman, black satin, with black lace and jet ornaments.

Miss Emma Heizman, white lace trimmed with
pink satin; corsage cut V shape; ostrich feather n. Miss Lena Mink, white surah, with scarlet satin minings. Miss Lezzie Decry, black satin, with black jet in olusion. Miss Blanche Hayman, white lace, with the skirt

Allsa historic hay man, while lace, with the skirt velied with black Spanish lace; corsage cut in a deep V and sleeveless; "dog collar" or black velvet caught at the throat with a bunch of pearls. Miss Ein St. John, maiden's blush satin; corsage cut square and sleeveless; mousquetaires of lace. Miss Mamie Butler, while satin, with a profusion of tuile draperies; corsage of eau du Nil veivet, cut V shape and sleeveless; white ostrich tips bouquet. Miss Katie Blanck, white lace; corsage cut decol ditaire diamond. Miss Carrie Hart, perle silk, with mavy blue satin

trimmings.

Miss Mabel Bradford, white poulte de sole, with a decollete, sieeveless cornage trimmed with white Miss Bessie Bradford, white poult de soie; cor-Mass Breath Braudott, white point de see, care sage cut V shape; tan-colored mousquetaires. Mass Annie Devere, terra-cotta tricot, with trimmings of moire antique of a deeper stade. Mass Bertha Benda, navy blue tricot, with white

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Mrs. William Astronson, black satin, with a profusion of black jettrimmings; diamond ornsments. Miss Katie Hanlan, white satin, with white lace draperies; white kid mousquetaires to the shoulder and pearl ornaments.

Miss Laura Decken, black tricot, with a vest of white satin; corsage bouquet of "Jack" roses and diamonds.

Miss Sadie Geary, white satin, with a bronze plush corsage cut in a very deep square and sleeve-less; white lace mousquetaires and corsage bou-quet of "Jack" roses. net of '' Jack " roses. Miss Kittle Gormley, creme satin, with an eau i Nii satin corsage, cut low; white lace mousque-

aires. Mrs. L. Goodman, black slik, with black Spanis! ace draperies.

Miss M. Bendit, white satin and white lace, with sleeveless V corsage; mousquetaires.

Miss K. Doran, white silk, with a bodice of elec-

Miss K. Doran, white silk and white lace, with a V-cut alceveloss corsage; white oatrich tips cor-sage bouquet: pearl ornaments.

Miss Neilie Callanan, white lace with emerald green satin bows as trimmings; tan mousquetaires.

Miss Lillie Cavanagh, seal-brown satin trimmed

with black velvet.
Miss Julia Goodman, floriated silk, with the corsage cut square and filled with dotted tulle and
trimmed with scarlet satin; white mousquetaire Among others present were:

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Aiten S. Gookin, J. J. Jones, P. F. Jester, W. F. Wilson, Charles Helzman, Thomas Barrett, James Donnelly, Thomas Nash, Heary Dorn, W. Fennelly, P. Garry, L. O'Brien, H. Munroe, E. Martin, J. Fianagan, J. Savage, Charles Strube, H. Berstein, James McCrystle, D. Alexander, J. Reedy, William North, Walter Harris, G. Holland, W. Nixon, B. Lally, M. Casey, G. McRutee, Thomas Murray, N. B. Doubleday, M. McGonigle, M. W. Marcus, Philip Walford, F. T. Valk, Thomas Weldon, John McColity, M. Kearns, T. McGunigle, J. J. Barry, E. Martin, D. Alexander, J. Reddy, H. Stone, N. D. Klausman, L. Lowinshon, Frank Bramer, James Finn, Robert Lowenstein, John McGarry, Frank Mullen, John Fay, Herbert Ver Nooy, E. F. J. Gauer, Chas. Granam, Wm. Harris, Joseph Farrell, Edward Thatcher, James McCray, B. Looreun.

The following gentlemen were assiduous in their attention to their fair guests : Floor Manager, M. S. Sasserath; Assistant, Eugene F. Wilson. Reception Committee—W. H. Rooy, Chairman; R. L. Hayman, E. C. Heizman, Floor Committee—J. P. Deery, Chairman; J. J. Donnelly, E. F. Wilson.

ALUMNI HAVE A REUNION. The Alumni Association of Grammar School No. 26 had a reception at the Vienna last night.

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W. J. Stewart, President; R. M. Backus, Vice-President; Ed W. Kiernan, Treasurur; Warren Lovejoy, Recording Secretary; Harry A. Ritchie, Corresponding Secretary; Thomas Moore, I., Chairman Entertainment Committee, Reception Committee—W. J. Stewart, Chairman; Asa Lemein, R. L. Hahn, B. Monteverdi, A. F. Walters, Jr., W. B. Murphy. Floor Committee—Thomas A. Ritchie, Chairman; Louis A. Osborne, Louis M. Poznanski, Andrew C. Wieland, Jos. H. Stuer, Fred D. Ives.

Among the pretty dresses noted on the Miss Lizzie Thieling, baby blue satin, with a white tuile overdress; corsage cut V snape. Miss Emma Diokerson, light blue satin, with a double V cut sleeveless corsage; white kid mous-

quetaires.

Ars. Thomas Moore, jr., white satin, with a vest of maiden's blush silk; corsage cut in a deep V both front and back.

Miss Sadie Platt, white lace, with a double V cor-

Mage.

Miss Minnie Dyer, satin the color of a good cigar,
with the corsage cut high: diamond ornaments.

Mrs. J. H. Sanlen, black silk, with black satin
trimmings: diamond ornaments; bouquet of Jack" roses. Miss Ida Meeks, perle tricot trimmed with perle

Miss Louise Bishop, black lace, with black satin rimmings; corsage bouquet of Mme. Mermet trimmings; corsage bouquet of Mme. Mermet roses.

Miss Grace Sullivan, white lace and white silk, with a floriated tabiler; corsage cut in a double V. Miss Lily L. Postley, white poult de sole, with the corsage cut decollete both front and back, and trimmed with white more antique.

Miss Faunle Sherwood, black lace, trimmed with black satin; corsage cut decollete; "dog collar" of black velvet caught with a pearl brooch.

Prof. Eppinger and his orchestra-furnished LEAP YEAR WITH ARIEL CIRCLE. A leap-year reception was given by the Ariel Circle at the Cafe Logeling last evening. The officers of the Circle are: W. C. Lichtenstein, President; S. A. Kraus, Vice-President; H. C. Klenke, Secretary; J. C. Lawrence, Treasurer.

FALSE OR FAITHFUL?

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Miss Bertha Rohdenburgh, olive green faille
Francaise, with striped velves trimmings; diamond ornaments.

Miss Ids Stromeyer, white lace and velvet corsage; skirt of floristed silk; diamonds.

Miss May Daut, black silk; ruby velvet, cut decollets, with a V at the back and aleaveless.

Miss Aunie Polk, seal brown silk trimmed with

navy blue velvet.

Miss Hattle Oakley, black sattn, with trimmings of pink sattn.

Miss N. Kelly, black silk, with black jet trimmings.
Miss Josephine Klenke, white lace over light blue silk; corsage V shape; diamond ornaments.
Mrs. George J. Fernschild, black silk and blacki

Miss Annie Jiller, black silk and black jet-ornsments.
Miss Pettie Jiller, Gobelin green tricol, with MONTGOMERY LODGE'S ENTERTANMENT.

A reception and promenade concert given by the Moutgomery Lodge Association at Tammany Hall last evening, furnished a pleasant evening to many ladies and gentle-men who attended it. The entertainment was conducted by the following gentlemen: was conducted by the following gentlemen:
Charles H. Preyer, President; Hiram Auiff Woodruff, Vice-President; Lorenzo Zeller, Treasurer;
Mark Casper, Secretary. Executive Committee—
John T. Huut, Chairman; William E.
Stewart, Thomas F. Mullen, Joseph B.
Kirby, M. D., August A. Hagen. Floor
Committee—Henry P. Morrison, Chairman; Wavhope Lynn, Henry Casper, John A. Potts, John C.
Martin, M. D., William Ord, George F. Thompson. Reception Committee—Willard P. Worster,
M. D., Chairman; F. Osear Woodruff, Herman
H. F. Vocke, Peter A. Tarpey, Thomas Moore,
Edward McGill, John H. Muller.

THE LENOX CIRCLE RECEIVES. The Lenox Circle gave a reception last evening at Nilsson Hall, James F. Brown was floor manager, assisted by Albert R. F. Koppel. These gentlemen received the

John J. Walker, Edward Carland, M. McConville, Ed F. Schneider, Thos. F. Walker, C. W. Stafford, M. McLaughlin, P. J. Parrelly, Geo. W. Palmer, Wm. Marsien, Nell McKay, Wm. H. Rapp, Louis Goodheim, Gustav Schoenfeld.

MINSTRELSY BY THE CRIB CLUB. At the Lexington Avenue Opera-House last night the Crib Club of New York held forth to a crowded house. First a grand minstrel entertainment was given, and then a dance. George G. Hart was director of entertain-ment, and John R. Foley, jr., stage manager. The programme for the first part was as fol-lows.

Bones, B. A. Lyon; interlocutor, George G. Hart; tambourine, W. F. Hannam, "The Old Dinner-Horn at Home," H. L. Keyes; "Ole Black Crow," W. F. Banham; "Only to Love," C. H. Simms; "Oh! Sweet Message," E. M. Drew; "Gwine to Meet a Coon To-Night," B. A. Lyon; "Jack's Yarn," J. W. Macy.

In the second part the Brothers Dore gave banjo selections; A. F. Camacho, an exhibi-tion of ventriloquism, and F. Milton Welch and Follett appeared in "Stranded." Among the pretty toilets were these:

Miss Addie de Noyelles, white sain, with the corsage cut decollete; diamond ornaments.

Miss Lottie Hoizberber, maiden's blush satin, with white lace trimmings; tan-colored mousquetaires. Miss Frankie Duchard, black lace, with a scarlet

Miss France Detector.

Assume the Miss Maggle Ducharat, white satin, with a low cut corsage trimmed with eau du Nil velvet.

Miss Jessie Davidson, perie tricot, with lace

Annual calico reception of Weiss & Hagemeyer's lancing Academy at the International Assembly

Musical and literary entertainment of Volunteer Post, No. 459, G. A. R., for the relief fund, at Bleecker Buildings, on Thursday, April 19.

The Hawthorne entertainment and reception will take place at the Lexington Avenue Opera-House to-morrow evening. Parts from "Othello" and "Cut Off With a Shilling" will be played.

Beaten by Discharged Drivers.

SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.] sebolt, of the City Railway Company, while electioneering at the second poli of the Second Ward last night was set upon and beaten by John Newberry, Pat Moore, John C. Walsh and four others. The men were recently discharged as drivers by Seboit. The latter is seriously injured. His assail-ants have been captured.

Trying a Minister on Grave Charges. PHILADELPHIA, April 11.—Rev. Howard P. Widdemer, formerly a minister at Albany, is on trial here to-day before the Episcopal Church authori-ties, charged with adultery and malice.

A Timely Warning.

At this season of the year almost everybody seems to meed, and should take a little medicine to Purify the blood and tone up the system. But people cannot be too particular in selecting a medicine which is Pure and Free from Mercury, Potash, Arsenic, or other injurious ingredients, which are so apt to be contained in the "patent nestrums" so freely offered to the Public. Undoubtedly the best medicine to take at this season is a good, reliable sarsaparilla; but of all things, beware of mercury, rotash, or arsenic. Do not be Mailed by the mercury, potash, or arsenic. Do not be Misled by the mere assertion of the Manufacturer that it is a "vegeta-ble preparation," Do not be persuaded by advertise-ments or otherwise to take "Sarsaparilla" or any of the (so-called) "Blood purifiers," "Spring Medicines," &c., unless you see For Yourself on the package a legal guarantee that it does not contain mercury, potash, or other injurious ingredient. No matter how sweet and

If you wish to feel sure that you have a purely vegetable preparation and one that will Do All You Expect of it, take RIEER'S COMPOUND SARSAPARILLA, every boting. The officers of the Circle are: W. C.
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Among the many pretty young ladies present were:

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Miss Frieda Hothermel, white lace with white
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Miss B. Bauman, black lace over blush pink

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To the Editor of The Econing World:
Before replying to Mr. Aian Dale's criticism of the performance of "Francesca da Rimini" by the Rival Association, I desire to thank TRE EVENING WORLD for having been the first to open its columns to a defense of a much-abused class— namely, amateur actors. Although a constant reader of your valuable paper, I never fully realsed how thoroughly it was perused until my letter of the 29th ult. was published. I was astonished at the number of letters I received thanking me for my delense of amateurs and their work. As

paper in this city I am pleased to have selected it as the medium through which to place this discussion before the public. I am convinced that public opinion is just, and am willing that the cause of amateurs should stand or fall upon its verdict. No words of mine can more fully demonstrate the truth of the assertion contained in my previous letter to the effect that amateurs seldous receive Justice at the hands of oramateur seldous remarks of Mr. Dale in his seltier of the 5th hands from the preschers, and when a professional critic, who earns his "bread and butter and an occasional bone" by cutting, stashing and ridiculing others, receives a small dose of his own mendeine it is but natural that he should launch forth into a more violent and unjust attack upon his censor, thereby proving himself worthy of his hire. In hie minus of some dramatic critics nothing deserves commendation or praise. There can be no performance so complete, so beautiful, but that they, with their acute sembilities, will delect some indeeds oversignt, some fatal weakness that takes from it all merit, and weakness that takes from it all merit and their stands oversignt, some fatal weakness that takes from it all merit of the province of the property of the province of the pr

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Mrs. Bowe, wife of ex-Sheriff Bowe, white point
lace, with the corsage cut square in front and Vshaped at the back; diamonds in profusion.

Miss Florence Coonley, Roman brown tricottrimmed with black velvet.

Miss Etta Weaver, black lace, with diamond ornaments and tan-colored monsquetaires.

Mrs. Thomas Kipp, seal brown satin withsbronze
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Mrs. J. B. Bates, perie silk.

Mrs. Ed Butter, black lace, with black seatin

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Miss May Arnold, floristed crebe de chine, with a corsage of ruby velvet cut A shape; dismond ernaments.

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Miss Mille Barnard, black lace over black satirg; corsage decollete and sleeviess tancolored mous-

Well, I think we can survive even Alan Dale's criticism and extend our sympathy to him in his sufferings.

Let us have a little justice. Honest and fair criticism always benefits the actor. Ridicule and abuse never. We to not ask for taffy, but credit where it is due. There are few professional companies, having to combat the obstacles encountered at the Lexington Avenue Opera-House, who could produce a play in better shape after four or are weeks' rehearsal.

Mr. Dale charges me with saying that professionals, at so much per week, can never feel a love for the art. This I did not asy, but stated that ampteurs study from pure love of the art, and, "as a rule, are more apt secolars than the automatons who support our professionals at so much per week." This principle, I maintain, is true in all professions. A man who adopts a profession merely to gain a livelihood can never attain the success which comes to the genius who follows the natural bent of his mind in selecting his life work. Scakespare wrote because it was impossible for him to withhold from the world the magnificent thoughts with which his fertile brain teemed; Bunyan saw no hope of gain while at work in the section of his cell; necessity gave no impetus to the pen of Lytton—out I will not tire your readers with the further recital of great men of all ages whose ouly incentive to action was love and not necessity. I will be content with one more illustration. If Mr. Alan Dale had adopted his profession from love and not to gain the occasional "bone," his relicions of our play would have been different. Si noerely yours.

President of the Rival Association.

New Officers Elected. The Sylvester A. Ryan Association has elected the following officers: President, John P. Moore; Vice-President, Thos. J. Canton: Pinancial Se retary, Jos. Walsh; Treasurer, Law F. Landy; Recording Secretary, F. E. Whitney; Corresponding Secretary, C. A. Crowe; Sergeant-at-Arma, Jas. J. Barnett; Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, H. W. Parkinson; Floor Manager, N. J. Segrave, Assistant Floor Manager, Wm. H. Uirich.

Mr. Carnegi e Tired of Committees.

[SPECIAL TO THE WORLD.]
PITTSBURG, April 11. -A telegram has been received from Andrew Carnegie asking that no more committees be appointed to go to New York. Mr. Carnegie said he was tired of receiving committees coming there in behalf of his employees, and if another was sent it would only be a waste of time

Answers to Correspondents. S.-A full translation of the characters upon Cleopatra's Needle has been published in The WORLD.

WORLD.

W. J. E. — "What would it cost to bring a pair of sases from England to New York?" The duty is 20 T. McE.—You will find the names, addresses and salaries of all persons employed by and under the city and county government in the City Record for Jan. 31, price 10 cents. J. C.—Is the United States flag raised in England
July 4?" It is never raised on any English public
buildings. It is holsted over the consulates and
the American Legation, and by clingens of the
United States who may occupy houses—by no one
elso.

A SAFE, sure cure for coughs and colds, ADAMSONS' BOTANIC BALSAM. KINSMAN, 25th st., 4th ave. \*\* Prepared from the purest materials.

KEEP THE HALF HOLIDAY.

IT IS THE PEOPLE'S RIGHT AND THEY MUST HAVE IT.

The Corporations Auxlous to Get the Monate Bill Through the Assembly-The People's Duty to Admeniah Their Representatives -Gov. Hill to be Appealed to as the Workers' Last Resort.

The Senate bill to limit the Saturday Half-Holiday law to Saturdays in June, July, August and September has not yet been acted apon by the Assembly. There are several repeal measures before the lower house and one of them is for an absolute repeal of the workingmen's and workingwomen's law.

The radical members of the Assembly, who are opposed to the interests and welfare of honest and hard-working toilers, favor the absolute repeal bill, while there are other enemies of the laboring people who wish to concur with the Senate bill.

The several measures, therefore, that strike at the Saturday Half-Holiday law may result

at the Saturday Half-Holiday law may result in tangled legislation, and the Assemblymen who are on the side of the toilers have a chance, if they stick together, to postpone indefinitely if not to defeat the iniquitous attempt to rob the people of their Saturday half holidays.

The corporation and monopolistic Senators who rushed Senator Welker's enactment through the upper house are very solicitous regarding the fate of their pet measure in the lower house. They wish the amendment to go through the Assembly just as it was passed by the Senate.

If the Senate amendment is amended in the Assembly in any way, shape or manner, it will have to go back to the Senate. If the Assembly should pass a bill of its own origination a joint conference committee, would probably be appointed.

The foes of the working people know this and appreciate the danger that delay would bring. Hence their anxiety that the Assembly should concur in the Senate amendment to the inst law passed and signed in 1887.

bring. Hence their anxiety bly should concur in the Senate amendment bly should concur in the Senate amendment bly shou'd concur in the Senate amendment to the just law passed and signed in 1887. Workingmen and workingwomen of New York, Brooklyn, Albany, Troy, Syracuse, Rochester, Utica, Buffalo and other large cities and manufacturing towns should at once protest against the Assembly concur-ring with the Senate amendment. Working people of both sexes should communicate their protests to the Assemblyman of their district

their protests to the Assemblyman or their district.

Each Assemblyman should be told that his action and vote are being watched. If the Democratic members should in a body oppose the Senate amendment and have the support of a dozen Republican members who represent labor constituencies the Saturday half holiday the year around would remain a law.

law.
If the Assembly should unfortunately conor with the Senate's enactment the hard working toilers would have to turn their hopes to Gov. Hill. He signed the present law less than a year ago, and before it was introduced he favored just such a law in his

During the summer of 1887 he delivered series of addresses at county agricultural fairs in which he spoke of the beneficent effect of the Saturday Half-Holiday law. The friends of Gov. Hill are confident that he will not sign the compromise bill, which gives the workingmen and workingwomen only sixteen half holidays during the year.

The corporation Senators and Assemblymen started in to pass an absolute repeal measure, but The Evening World took up the fight of the people against the repeal and the compromise amendment was the result. The Evanino World, however, would not accept the compromise. It is still en-listed in the people's fight for the people's

" Labor's Female Cohorts." Read to-morrow EVENING WORLD.

New Faces at Hotels. S. S. Wheeler, of Lima, is at the Gilsey. Dr. P. Miaughton, U. S. A., is at the Grand. Russel Coates, of Rochester, is at the Gilsey. Edw. E. Springer, of Chicago, is at the Sturte

The Sturievant is made gay by the Amberst baseball team.

Dudley Hall, of Boston, and Jno. J. Carter Titusville, are at the St. James. Robert L. Banks, ir., a nephew of the ex-Mayor of Albany, is at the Hoffman.

Senator Frank Elscock is in his old quarters at the Fifth Avenue with his family. Mrs. Wm. Goodloe, daughter of Senator Beck, of Kentucky, is at the Fifth Avenue. J. E. Dennison, the Boston merchant, has his temporary dwelling at the Hoffman.

A. L. Conger, a prominent politician of Akron, H. S. Vanderbilt, ex-Clerk of the Boston Board of Aldermen, has rooms at the Hoffman. The Rev. Dr. Robert Granger, of Richfield Springs, has apartments at the Hoffman. Mrs. Fay, of Boston, has chosen the Hoffman for her home during a short stay in this city. Astor arrivals to-day: Joseph W. Johnson, of Birmingham, Ala.; Henry Berenot, of Paris, and Joseph Bryan, of Ricamond.

At the Union Square Hotel to-day: John A. Nel-son, of Boston; J. B. Sturgla, of Houston, Mich.: Dr. Vall, of Pougaksepsie, and D. R. Lawrence, of Rochester. Registered at the Hotel Damare George W. Lyon, of Chicago; E. M. Smith, of Philadelphia; John St. Augustine, of Richmond, and C. E. Parker, of Lyndhurst.

Lyndhurst.

Among the arrivals at the Morton House are Edward W. McClave, of Canaan, N. H.; S. H. Hillman, of Philadelphia; G. E. Malana, of Syracase; George Miller, of Philadelphia; H. Dickson, of Chicago, and W. H. Stearns, of Boston.

Burglar Rhinehardt Dead. August Rhinehardt, the burglar who was shot in the back by Policeman McCormick while he was trying to make an entrance into ex-Senator Jacob Sechacher's house on Clinton street, died in the Gouverneur Hospital at 2.40 o'clock this morning.

The Flying Dove of Peace.

A richly frosted quivering, flying Dove. A Dream of Life screen calendar. An imported ideal head, An imported frosted snow scene and a full set of magnificen floral cards. Fourteen artistic pieces. Sent to any one who will buy from a druggist a box of the gennine Dz. C. McLane's Celebrated Liver Pills (price 25 cts.) and mail us the outside wrapper from the box with 6 cents in stamps. Write your address plainly. FLEMING BROS., Pittsburg, Pa.

Dn. C. McLane's Liver Pills are a sure cure for Sick Headache, Billousness and Dyspepsia. They are peculiarly adapted for ladies, and are absolutely safe,

TALK FROM THE PLAYHOUSES.

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Daniel Frohman's trip abroad will be a very Daniel Prohman's trip abroad will be a very short one. He leaves on Wednesday night for London and Paris, and declares that he goes on purely "private business," sithough it is well known that Mr. Prohman is far too sensible to have anything of the kind. His business is all public and connected with the Lyceum Theatre. He will be back in New York in six weeks from the time of his departure. Several artists of importance are to be added to the Lyceum Theatre company next season. This fact, taken in connection with Mr. Frohman's departure, may mean something.

Mrs. Potter will make her appearance at the Baidwin Theatre, San Francisco, Monday week. A curious coincidence is the announcement that after her engagement the theatre will be closed for repairs. Merely a coincidence, of course.

Reguald de Koven, the composer of "The Begun," with Harry Smith, the author of that successful comic opera, have just started a new paper in Chicago called America. Its Brst number was issued Saturiay. His policy is to give America and Americans a good show. The indications are that it will be cordially received, as No. 1 certainly met that fate.

Among the people engaged by Manager A. M. Paimer for the production of "The Mystery of a Hansom Cab" at the Amphion Academy next Monday are Henry Lee, Acquestus Cook, Wilton Lackaye, Messrs, Grace and Lyons, of the "Deacon Brodie" Company; Myron Calice, Henry Veron, Miss Bjou Heron, Miss Carrie Jamieson, Miss Carrie Lioman and (an "and" in a theatr-cal programme is a wastly important conjunction) the stately Miss Helen Hancrott, Miss Bancroft is to appear as Sal Rawins, the part played in London

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Playwrights are often deluged with the same communication that "Constant Readers" and "Anxions inquirers" send to the editors of newspapers. Giliette received, a letter from a lady the other day asking the amount of time supposed to elapse between the first and last acts of "lield by the Enemy," and the age of Susan and of Rachey. He replied (and this is meant to be very funny, so please laugh) that two months were supposed to elapse before the first act, three between the first and second, eleven between the second and third, eight between the third and fourth, seveniend between the fourth and fifth and after the play, making a total of forly-two months. Sisan was supposed to be nincteen years old in Act I. and thirty-seven in Act V. Rachel was eighteen years old all the way through. the way through.

Miss Blanche Weaver and Mr. Charles Bradshaw have been engaged to appear in the production of Mass Morton's "Helene" at the Fifth Avenue Theatre April 30.

Herbert Kelcey is to grace the matinee production of Arthur Wallack's play "Coward Con-science" at the Madison Square Theatre shortly. J. K. Emmet, jr., has purchased the yacht Zeus and is to cruise all summer in her with a party of friends.

. . . Hearne's new play, "Drifting Apart," will be produced at the Feople's Theatre next month. Hearne is the author of "Hearts of Oak" and "The Mnute Men." His latest is said to be a picture of New England life.

Miss May Walcot, Jefferson's bright little "juve-nile lady, has been engaged by A. M. Palmer for his stock company. If she can secure a release from Mr. Jefferson a week or two before the con-clusion of her engagement she will appear with Miss Effe Elister at the Madison Square Tuestre.

Corinne is doing big business at Dockstader's Theatre. Her engagement will close at the end of text week.

Brooklyn Theatres. John R. Rogers was filled with a desire to produce Miss Minnie Falmer's new play, "My Brother's Stater," at the Grand Opera-House, New York, last week, but Manager French would not permit it. This week, however, the enterprising manager presents the play at the Lee Avenue Academy of Music. It has been previously seen in Brooklyn. The play gives Miss Palmer abundant opportunities, and that is all that she wants, Mr. Hogers wants, or (apparently) her audiences want. Miss Palmer as a street Arab is an extremely edifying spectacle. She will do good business at the Lee Avenue this week." On the Rio Grande." an American play by an

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"On the Rio Grande," an American play by an American author, is now being given at H. R. Jacoba's Third Avenue Theatre with an American cast. The American author is Mark Price, who was formerly a great favorite with Brooklyn theatre-goefs. "On the Rio Grande" is a good play,

full of interesting situations. It is somewhat heroics, and the vehicle for the heroism is Mexican border iffe. The story deals with the tribulations of a gent who moreover only given her date? Of to a heavy villain. The cast includes Mark Proc. as the brother; M. J. Jordan, Charles Lamb, Harry Hawk, H. Percy Melden, as the villain; Miss Ettle Baker and Miss Forence Roberts. The stage set-ting was very good.

ABOUT ATHLETES AND BOXERS.

The "Winged B" lads are making a game ef-fort to pull themselves together sgaln. Twenty-five Nautilias Boat Club bors, among them High-jumper Pritchard, have left their first love and joined the Brooklyn Athletic Association.

love and joined the Brooklyn Athletic Association. It is said that it was through some clerical error that P. f. Troian, the light amateur champion boxer of the Matienal Association, was not entered by the Manhattan Athletic Club in the competition at the Metropolitan Opera-House.

The probability of a match between Kitrain and Ashton and the possibility of a 'yo' o' netween Sullivan and McCaffrey promises that the coming months will have lively interest for admirers of scraps between hig ones. Just how Sullivan proposes to add anything to his rejuntation by a meeting with McCaffrey is a puzzle. Look out for certain developments about that Sullivan Mitchell battle soon. There are likely to be some surprising stories told when one party comes back.

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Envices in the Amateur Athletic Union's first annual gymnastic championships to be held on April 28 will close at 104 West Fifty-fifth street on April 21. The feet is \$2,\$ and, as in the late bexing, wrestling and fencing competitions, the right to reject any entry is reserved. The feats will be the horizontal bar, the parallel bars, the nighing rings, club-swinging and rope-climbing. In the club-swinging four-pound club will be provided by the Games Committee; time limit, three minutes for each competitor. The rope used in the rope-climbing contests will be 22 feet, in length. Handsome gold medals emblematic of the championships will be awarded to the winners and sliver medals to the second men in each of the events.

DAINTIES OF THE MARKET.

Best Naples figs bring 20 cents a pound. Ripe sapanillas from the West Indies sell for 50 cents a dozen.

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" Labor's Female Cohorts," Read to-morrow's EVENING WORLD.

Rebearing for Fashing Thursday. The young ladies and gentlemen of Washington who are to present the Indian dance at the " Fashing Thursday in Venice" entertainments at the Metropolitan Opera-House to-night and to-morrow evening, arrived yesterday afternoon under the chaperonage of Mrs. J. C. Black. The final rehearsal was held at the Metropolitan Opera-flower has night. The affair promises to be one of the most interesting of the season.

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